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# BANDITS STRIP MAN OF $100,000 IN GEMS

## SHORT STORIES

**Facts With Frills, Facetion and Otherwise. By "S. S."**

**Drizzling.**

**Put on your coats.**

**Turn the seats over.**

**Pat Reed conferred with a mosquito expert this morning.**

**Commissioner Poteet smoking big cigar today. Wouldn't tell the brand.**

**City Secretary Miles out this morning on business. All reporters and S. S. left calling cards**

**Quarantine Station for Sabine Pass. Next good turn of government will be to erect hospital here.**

**Three-cornered shootin' scrape on one corner last night. One dead, one hurt, one missing, corner cleaned out.**

**Community Service representative from New York here today to revive old conversation about community singing.**

**Coffee Club session delayed early today due to slight rainfall, which subsided at intervals, allowing members to approach rendezvous one at a time.**

**Sing a song of five-pence;**
Drink your coffee black—
Then bawl out the waiter
If he orders you a stack!
—Coffee Club Ballade.

**A girl from Houston at the basketball game last night remarked the only reason they lost to the Gulf was because she was'n star and hadn't gotten in the game soon enough Looked to S. S. as if they needed six just like her all through the game.**

## INTO THE DEEP

### Crew of Boat Throws Eating Tools Overboard

All "wild nights on deck" do not happen to a vessel on the high seas, and Mexico produces liquor with effects more violent than the United States' worst bootleg variety.

This is the opinion held by customs officials here, following a hearing today of charges against three members of the crew of the steamship Birkenhead that they smashed the china in the crew's mess room, threw numbers of knives, forks and spoons over the side of the ship and generally wrecked the mess room one night recently while the Birkenhead was in Tampico.

Discovery of the china wreckage strewing the deck in the crew's mess room, the fire hose stuck down the dumb-waiter between the galley and the mess room, and practically all of the mess gear missing was made by the ship's steward the morning after sounds of a brawl disturbed sleepers in quarters near the mess room, evidence taken at the hearing today showed.

The evidence against the three particular members of the crew charged with destroying the ship's property was not sufficient to warrant fines being assessed against them, customs officials said, after the hearing, and the men were allowed to go their way.

## INSPECTION MUST BE MADE OF NEW SCHOOL

Acceptance of the school building work without collecting the usual fees for plumbing, lighting and other inspections, amounting to about $340, was requested of the city commission Friday afternoon by L. B. Abbey, secretary of the school board.

Under the state laws, the inspections will have to be made, and the city's inspector is maintained through the fees collected for this service, Abbey was told. Remittance of the fees for the school inspection jobs was advanced, but the matter left open for final settlement later.

## OVERDUE AT U. S. PEN

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—"Big Tim" Murphy, three days overdue at Leavenworth, failed to appear and surrender during the night to start his four-year sentence in connection with the $300,000 Dearborn Street Railway robbery, as promised by his attorneys.

The federal court will take steps to have Murphy's bond of $180,000 forfeited today.

Murphy, former Chicago Labor leader, was free on a stay of sentence pending an appeal to the supreme court. The stay expired three days ago but Murphy remained in hiding.

## UNSETTLED

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Sunday unsettled, with occasional rains.

East Texas: Little change in temperature. Tonight and Sunday partly cloudy, north portion; occasional rains, south portion.

Winds on Texas Coast: Fresh to easterly.

## PT. ARTHUR MAY GET HOSPITAL

### Mellon Already Has Put in Appropriation Request

### NEW SABINE STATION

### Quarantine Fund Also is Proposed by Mellon

One of the new marine hospitals proposed in Secretary Mellon's requested appropriation may be erected in Port Arthur.

This is the belief today following announcements from Washington to the effect that an appropriation of $8,786,700 had been asked by Secretary Mellon for the construction of new hospitals at San Francisco, Seattle, New Orleans and at a point contiguous to Galveston and Port Arthur."

**Investigation Made**

Port Arthur has been in touch with the hospital appropriation situation for some time, it was said at the Chamber of Commerce this morning. Formal application for the erection of the proposed new hospital in this district was filed with the government by the chamber some time ago, it being requested that the hospital be built here.

As a result of this step by the Chamber of Commerce, members of the United States public health service came here six months ago, and looked the grounds over, investigating local conditions.

**Project Started Seven Years Ago**

The new quarantine station for Sabine district mentioned in the proposed appropriation will in all probabilities be built at Sabine. A movement to construct a station there has begun seven years ago, when the state of Texas appropriated $85,000 for such a building. Upon testing the ground for the construction of the building's foundation, it was revealed that additional money would be needed to complete the structure.

This matter was to have been brought before the state legislature, it was said here this morning, but at that time, the state transferred control of the quarantine bureaus in Texas to the government.

The new station has definitely been proposed by Secretary Mellon for Sabine Pass. The only question remaining is whether the appropriation will be passed.

Every possible step will be taken by local interests, it is understood, to bring the hospital for Galveston and Port Arthur to this city

## COURT BILL PASSES SENATE

### Goes Back to the House for Concurrence

The Port Arthur corporation court today is believed to be a certainty

This is the opinion of officials, following passage of the bill to create the court by the state senate yesterday.

The only step remaining is concurrence in the senate amendment to make all judges appointive by the house. It is expected this will take only a few moments and that no difficulty will be encountered.

**$25 Minimum Sticks**

As passed yesterday by the senate, the bill provides for a $25 fine being the minimum limit under which an appeal can be taken. An amendment cancelling this limit was killed and the endorsement of the Port Arthur Chamber of Commerce was read on motion of Senator Cousins.

**Back to House**

The bill goes back to the house for concurrence because of the fact that it was passed in the house with the clause providing for the election of the judge. Since then, the bill has been amended, calling for the appointment of the judge by the city commission. Now it must go back to the house for agreement or rejection of this amendment. Concurrence is expected as only a slight change has been made in the bill.

## EDWIN LANDRY DIES

Edwin Anthony Landry, 11 years, died at 8 o'clock a. m. today at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Landry, 1208 Proctor street, after an illness of one week with pneumonia. Surviving besides the parents is one brother, Adler Hugh.

The lad's body will be shipped to New Iberia, La., today or Sunday, under the direction of J. E. Grammier, undertaker, and burial will be made in that place.

## FIRE UNDER PROBE

KANSAS CITY, Kans., Feb. 24.—Officers began an investigation today to determine responsibility for a fire here yesterday in which 13 persons lost their lives.

Witnesses summoned to appear state fire marshall following affidavits charging that C. C. Hattley, owner of a garage on the first floor of the burned building, was drinking liquor a few hours before the fire was discovered.

## She'll Sue Because He Hugged So Hard Her Ribs Cracked in Strain

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—The romance of Marjorie Provost, film actress and sister of Marie Provost and Albert Lloyd Burgren, engineer, her husband, has gone on the rocks

Burgren filed a suit for divorce alleging his wife insisted on laying abed in the morning, was untidy as a housekeeper and told him she hated him.

Today the wife, through her attorney, announced she would file counter complaint alleging Burgren pinched her and hugged her so hard he had injured her ribs.

## NEGRO SLAYER STILL AT LARGE

### 'Fritz' Simmons Kills One and Wounds Another

Police today continued their search for "Fritz" Simmons, negro, who Friday night about 7 o'clock shot and killed Will Pugh, negro, seriously wounded Owen Dyas, negro, and sent a pistol bullet through the trousers worn by Harold Ledbetter, negro, at Bert Hughes Tire and Service station, Proctor street and Waco avenue.

Slipping up into the rear of the service station from the alley, Simmons opened fire on the negroes working around the place. Four shots were fired, it is reported. Pugh was lying on the fender of a car, and was struck in the back by one of the pistol bullets. He ran around to the Proctor street door of the Hughes place, and died on the sidewalk.

**Shoots at Close Range**

"I been shot dead," he told those who rushed to his assistance.

The wounded negro, Dyas, shot through the right lung, came around the corner of the vulcanizing building while Simmons was trying to force open a door and get at several of the negroes who had taken refuge inside, according to an eye witness. Seeing Dyas within three feet of him, Simmons turned from the door and sent a pistol bullet crashing through Dyas' right lung.

**Shooting Follows Argument**

Thirty minutes before the shooting, negroes employed at the Hughes service station had an argument with Simmons, ending him about being run out of his cousin's house and a brick thrown after him, it is said. When he tried to draw a knife, he was overpowered and one of the negroes hit him with his fist. He left with the promise that he would return, and he did, 30 minutes later, shooting at "all the niggers in sight," as the witnesses put it.

Pending the arrival of Pugh's relatives, from Orange, his body is being held at Grammier's undertaking establishment. The injured negro, Dyas, was rushed to Mary Gates hospital in a Grammier ambulance, following the shooting, and it is reported at the institution today that his condition is serious, but not critical.

## Six Burned When Fire Destroys House

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 24.— Six persons were seriously burned, and 30 others forced to flee into the streets when a rooming house was destroyed by fire here last night.

N. C. Nanney, an occupant of the house, and three firemen received severe burns while making thrilling rescues from the blazing structure.

The blaze was of undetermined origin. Damage was estimated at approximately $10,000.

## EL PASO WOMAN NOT CONFIRMED BY SENATE

AUSTIN, Feb. 24.—Senator Floyd, chairman senate committee on nominations at 2:15 yesterday afternoon announced that the committee had passed upon all of the governor's appointments, recommending confirmation of all except Mrs. Chas. DeGroff, of El Paso, as a member of the board of directors of the Texas technological college. The senate will meet in executive session Tuesday to take final action.

Appointments recommended include Adjutant General Taos. D. Barton, J. E. Hoog-Scott of the livestock sanitary commission, and Dr. W. H. Beasely, state health officer.

## ICE JAMS BLOCK ALL N. Y. FUEL

### Supply Now on Hand Held For 'Prescriptions'

### MANHATTAN ICEBOUND

### Zero Expected as Mercury Continues to Drop

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—New York City is facing a "desperate fuel situation," with the coldest weather of the winter, the fuel administration announced today. Barges carrying more than 100,000 tons of anthracite are frozen in the Hudson river and ice jams have completely cut off these supplies.

Dealers' bins are practically empty and what little coal there is left is being saved for emergency "prescriptions" of the adminstration, it was said. The best the city can expect is about one half of the minimum amount of fuel counted on to carry through the critical period of the winter, the administration officials asserted.

**Manhattan Icebound**

Manhattan island is practically icebound. Plenty of substitutes for anthracite are lying on the Jersey docks but the clogged river prevents moving them.

The mercury is dropping rapidly and zero is expected to be reached today.

The fuel administration has been counting on 60 per cent of last years receipts to keep the city from suffering. With this amount of coal it has been necessary to use generous supplies of substitute at the present time there are almost no substitutes in the city.

**May Break Jams**

A flying wedge of power tugs may be organized today in a effort to break through the jams for the barges and protect them from the tons of ice cartering down the river.

The difficulty of shipping the coal the river was showed yesterday when two barges crushed into the ice and went down with 200,000 tons of coal.

Along the piers the jams of ice blocks from two to four feet thick are piled up higher than the tug decks

## VALERA DIRECTS ARMY, BELIEF

### Hand of Strategist Seen in Irregulars Attack

DUBLIN, Feb. 24.—While free state troops and Irish rebels fight in the streets of Dublin, and government squads raid republican gathering places looking for Eamon De Valera, the latter is believed to be actively directing the sudden resumption of attacks on the state forces.

The irregulars' attacks during the night showed that they were directed by an experienced strategist, despite the fact that many of the men known as the "brains" of the rebel army have been captured in the last few days. Assaults were directed against central telephone exchanges, capture of which would have disrupted communications throughout the capitol and seriously hampered the free state authorities in their efforts to suppress the uprising.

Republicans launched a general attack on military posts in all parts of the city last night, intense firing continued for half hour. Several civilians who ran to watch the battle were hit by stray bullets and wounded. One soldier was seen lying dead after the firing subsided. The rebels carried their casualties away with them as they fell back.

## 10 YEARS FOR ROBBERY

NEW PORT NEWS, Va., Feb. 24.—Ten years in prison is the punishment meted out by a military court to James Harvey and John Wood for kidnaping the Langley Field finance officer and four enlisted men and robbing the post's pay car of $43 000. Sentence was pronounced late yesterday.

All but $2,800 of the money stolen January 28, was recovered, when the robbers, former army sergeants, were captured.

## Doctor Must Pay Nurse $20,000 for Kiss Stolen From Her at Hospital

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Dr. Justine L. Mitchel must pay $20,000 to Miss Mathilde Benkhardt, a nurse, for an unwelcomed kiss, a jury here decided today.

The kiss was purloined in the maternity ward of the German-Deaconesses hospital in 1921. Miss Benkhardt charged in asking $25,000 damages. She was discharged from the hospital following the affair. The nurse testified her suit was not an attempt to extort money but to prove the physician was a "debaucher of women."

## BOYD FREED OF MURDER CHARGE

### Head of Woman Brought Before Prisoner

LIBERTY, Texas, Feb. 24.—Sam Boyd today stood acquitted of the murder of Mrs. Annie McSlian, whose decomposed and mutilated body was found in a room of her home on Boyd's land near Fostoria last June.

The verdict was returned after the jury had been out half an hour.

Tinker Boyd, elder brother of Sam, must face trial in the same court next term on a similar charge.

**Forced to View Skull**

Sam Boyd was forced to look at the skull of the woman he was accused of killing at intervals during three weeks before his trial. Sheriff Wheat admitted this after cross examination by the defense at the trial yesterday. He also admitted that he was responsible for the ordeal.

"We wanted to find out if she had been killed by a blow on the head, so I got permission to exhume the body and examine the skull," Wheat explained after he had left the stand.

"We found the skull unbroken; there were no bullet holes. Also the body was loose from the skull as if it had been buried from June until January and we did not have to sever it by force," Wheat added.

**Dummy Set Up**

The sheriff explained that the intention was to let Sam testify that the woman had been killed apparently by a blow on the temple and then produce the skull and show that the bones were intact.

"However, we decided we might get a confession out of him if we showed him the skull. We rigged up the dummy and put it in front of his cell. It didn't move him, so we moved it out of the way," Sheriff Wheat said.

## SHELL FOR PARK

### Logan Tells Abbey This is No Time for Bond Issue

With the school playground houses and equipment moved across DeQueen boulevard into the park, request that the city come across with its part of the park improvement was made before the city commission Friday afternoon by L. B. Abbey, secretary of the school board.

Abbey told the commission that low places in the park need filling in, if the park is to be worth anything at all during wet weather, and referred to the agreement between the school board and the city that playground equipment and houses would be furnished by the board if the city would improve the property.

Mayor Logan told Abbey that at the present time no funds are available for park improvement, and that it is the idea of the commission that park improvements should be provided for in a bond issue, but that with a new administration coming in in the next few months, this is no time to float a bond issue.

The city engineer department was instructed, however, to see if steps can be taken to have some of the shell being hauled off the city's streets for paving placed in DeQueen park.

## 25 YEARS FOR $1.50

BELTON, Texas, Feb. 24.—O. G. Hathcock was found guilty of murder in connection with the death of Robert Garner in district court here and sentenced to 25 years imprisonment. The killing was said to have occurred when Garner attempted to collect a $1.50 debt from Hathcock.

## PRETTY SMILE CAN WIN BANK OF ENGLAND SAYS SHEIK GIRL

WILMA McMULLIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—A pretty face, an attractive smile and a quarter's worth of paint from the corner drugstore and a girl "can get away with the Bank of England."

So says Wilma McMullin, in jail here on charges of being the lure and "come on" for a dapper sheik band which preyed upon wealthy old men.

And the reason why this recipe brings wealth is simply stated by Wilma, as folows:

"Because all men are boobs."

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## NICKEY WILL BE GIVEN FREEDOM

### Police Unable to Hold Master Mind in Bond Plot

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Nickey Arnstein, convicted in Washington, D. C., as the "master mind" in a $5,000,000 bond plot, was held without bail and four other men arrested with him are at liberty under $2,500 bail each today, because, police declare, they could not account for bonds and securities found in their possession.

The five men, who were taken by detectives at a Broadway hotel with a woman who was released, were charged on the police blotter with grand larceny. Those arrested with Arnstein:

Edward M. Fuller, 39, awaiting trial on bucketing charges following failure of the firm of E. M. Fuller and Company for $5,000,000.

Albert Wilson, 40, Cleveland, Ohio, a broker.

Albert Exel, Cleveland, a broker. Also known, police said, as Webber and Taylor Lewis.

Samuel Milton Small, 22, New York, known as the "box broker."

Harry Sykes, 31, New York, said by police to have been a stock salesman for M. Stiglitz & Co., which failed for more than $200,000 and whose head, Stiglitz killed himself while awaiting trial.

## Ardmore Klan Trial Set For Next Week

ARDMORE, Okla., Feb. 24.—Trials of eleven Carter county men charged with the murder of Joe Carroll at his home near here December, 1921, are to be resumed Monday, Judge W. F. Freeman announced today.

The trials were postponed several weeks ago when Judge Freeman was forced to retire from the bench on account of illness.

Carroll was killed when he is said to have resisted attempts of a masked band to take him from his home. Shots were exchanged which resulted in the death of Carroll and two members of the masked party.

## SUBSIDY BILL TO BE BURIED

### Plans Laid for Funeral of Harding's Pet

WASHINGTON, Feb 24 — The senate today turned away from the ship subsidy bill to other and more live business.

Under the "capitulation agreement," which the filibusterers yesterday exacted from the administration forces the first two hours of the session, at least were to be devoted to consideration of bills on the calendar, many of which have been held up by the ship subsidy filibuster.

Meanwhile preparations were being made for the formal rites of burial of the subsidy bill, now definitely dead, and conceded by even its warmest supporters to have no chance of resurrection in this congress.

Two reasons combined to delay the entombing of the bill. Those were:

1—Absence of several democratic senators who will vote to put the subsidy aside when the formal action disposing of it is taken

2—A desire by some republican senators, among whom is Senator Lodge, to keep the subsidy as a barrier against the truth-in-fabrics and the tilted milk bills which the farm bloc wants to pass.

Either of these was strong enough to prevent a vote today on the Jones motion to restore the subsidy to its place as the senate's current business.

## BLOCK CLOSED

### Children Given Protection by Commission Order

Closing of DeQueen boulevard between Sixth and Seventh streets during the hours the school is open, will be ordered by Chief of Police M. B. Word, acting upon instructions given by the city commission Friday afternoon after L. B. Abbey, secretary of the school board, appeared before the commission requesting the boulevard be closed to traffic and automobiles from 7:30 a. m. until 5 p. m.

The request was made by Abbey because of the fact that while the additional building is being constructed at DeQueen, the school children have to go across the boulevard to playgrounds in the park. The commission agreed that in the event objection was raised to having the thoroughfare closed that an ordinance would be passed, but said it is felt that a police order will be sufficient.

## COMMANDEERS CAR IN RUSH TO HOSPITAL

TEMPLE, Texas, Feb. 24.—When he discovered he had swallowed a quantity of acid by mistake, Royce Brazelton, 22, of Bonham, Texas, immediately commandered a convenient automobile and rushed himself to a hospital. His condition is reported as being critical.

## MASKED MEN IN DIAMOND RAUL

### Fake Phone Call Lures Dealer Into Trap

### HIS FINGERS STRIPPED

### Valuables Taken Apparently With Ease

CHICAO, Feb 24.—Henry C. Hart, diamond broker of New York, was held up and robbed of $100,000 worth of diamonds by two masked bandits here today.

The bandits accosted Hart as he was entering the Times building in answer to a fake telephone call.

He was thrown into the elevator and taken to the sixth floor where the robbers seized his two cases containing the gems. They also stripped his finger of a diamond ring valued at $1,000.

## FORD CHEERED

### That's as Close as He Got to Presidential Endorsement

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 24.—Although the state democratic committee did not endorse Henry Ford for the presidential candidacy in 1924, the mention of his name brought cheers and shouts of "Ford for president," who left their homes today.

The name was brought before the committee late yesterday by Chas. Kimmerlee of Cassopolis, who introduced a resolution commending Ford for his services to the democratic party in the 1918 senatorial campaign. The resolution was passed in a riot of applause.

Kimmerlee intended to introduce a resolution of endorsement of Ford for the presidential candidacy but was prevailed upon to withhold it at yesterday's convention by delegates who declared the time was not opportune for such action.

## George J. Flowers Dies at Nederland

George J. Flowers, 50 years, constable at Nederland, died at 11:45 p. m. Friday at his residence in Nederland after a lingering illness. Mr. Flowers had resided in Nederland for a number of years, serving for past six or seven years constable of that precinct.

Pending the completion of funeral arrangements, the body is at Grammier's undertaking establishment. Surviving are his widow, his mother, Mrs. J. E. King; four children, Maud, 14; Hattie, 12, G. J. Jr., 9 and Julian, six; and a sister, Mrs. John R Shades, of Cushing, Oklahoma.

## One Killed as Train Runs Into Funeral

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Feb. 24.—One person was reported killed and four hurt when Erie passenger train number 624 crashed into the last car of a funeral procession at a crossing here shortly after 10 a. m. today.

The four injured were taken to Youngstown hospital. The car was badly wrecked.

## ESCAPES FROM NURSE

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Bessie Johnston, 55, wife of the treasurer of the Western Electric Company, who has been suffering from a nervous breakdown, escaped from a nurse today, forced a window of her home that had been nailed down, and leaped to death from the ninth floor.

## $200,000 FIRE LOSS

WICHITA, Kans., Feb. 24.—Fire starting in the boiler room completely destroyed the three-story building of the Western Supply Union last night at seven o'clock.

The loss, all of which is covered by insurance, is estimated at $200,000 by Harry Albright, manager.


**Success In Business**

does not HAPPEN.
—they are brought about by hustle, foresight, energy and a necessary amount of nerve. NO business just HAPPENS to grow—no siree! If it grows it is because energy and enthusiasm are behind it. If it stands still or drops behind it is probably due to lack of publicity as ONE of the causes. NEWS classified ads are business builders for those who use them constantly and energetically.

What are your plans for 1923?—to grow—to stand still or DROP BACK?


## Women Could Prevent Hangings by Attending Them Says One

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 24.—If more women of the country attended hangings, there would not be so many, declared Mrs. F. Bernhard, mother of Theodore Bernhard, 14 year old boy, today. Clemente Apolinar paid with his life Friday for the murder of Theodore on August 16, 1921.

"Mothers would realize the awfulness of it all and instead of playing bridge, dancing and going to clubs, would give more attention to the rearing of their boys," said Mrs. Bernhard today, "this would save many of them from the hangman's noose."

Many of the cases which result in hangings are traceable to improper rearing, Mrs. Bernard believes. Proper home environment is the big factor and it cannot be obtained when the mother is busy with social duties and neglects the child.

**Will Never Forget Face**

"Yesterday's experience was awful," said Mrs. Bernard, "but I would not have missed it, for anything. It was the only satisfaction I could have—that of seeing the murderer my little boy paying with his life for taking Theodore from me. However, I do not believe I will ever forget the look on Apolinar's face as the trap was sprung."

While Mrs. Bernard talked in a calm manner of yesterday's execution, Mrs. Jeff Herd, the mother of the dead man, sat alone beside the casket of her son in the little undertaking parlor from which the funeral will be held Sunday.

All through last night she maintained her lonely vigil by her dead. Only occasionally when silence of the room broken by her mumbled prayers for the soul of her dead loved one.

**Mother Says He Was Insane**

"He was crazy. The law should not have hanged my baby," she moaned. "He didn't know what he was doing. They would have placed him in an asylum. Since he was a little boy he has had those 'spells'."

When told of the attitude of the murdered boy's mother, Mrs. Herd dropped her head in her hands, saying softly, "I presume I should feel the same way if some one had slain Clemente in that way, too, but two wrongs will not make a right, and he was insane, I tell you!"

All of the Mexican societies of the city will participate in the funeral Sunday. Apolinar will be buried in the family lot in the city cemetery.

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# Churches

**FIRST CHRISTIAN**
**Corner Fifth and Beaumont**
**Wm. Guecker, pastor.**

Sunday morning will close the contest between the Men and Women's class. Thus far the women have maintained a slight lead over the men. It is still possible for the men to win the contest. At the morning worship hour the pastor will speak on "One Blood." In the evening the sermon theme will be on "The Power That Saves".

No life service talks will be given Sunday nights until after Easter. The pre-Easter campaign begins on this Sunday. Sunday will be known as Women's Sunday. The ladies of the church are asked to do special calling on this Sunday afternoon. Special music will be rendered at each service. Senior and Intermediate Endeavors meet at 6:30 p. m.

**FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL**
**Stilwell and Lake Shore**
**W. E. Blackstock, pastor**

Sunday school, 9:30. Wilbur Abbey, superintendent.

Morning worship, 10:45. Sermon by Dr. Alfred Raymond Johns of Muskegon, Mich.

Epworth League, 6:30. Frances Bushong, president.

Evening service, 7:30. Solo by Jack Storey. Sermon by the pastor

Sunday school board, 7:30 Tuesday.

Open House, 7:30, Wednesday.

Friends to welcome you at each service. A special invitation to strangers. Good music. Good Singing.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**
**Corner Mobile and 5th.**
**T. Alvis Davis, minister**

Sunday school 9:45. Classes for all. Especially fine opportunity for the building of Christian character.

Sermon at 11 by the pastor

Special numbers will be rendered by the choir, assisted by the orchestra.

Evening worship, C. E. 6:30. Subject, "What are some of the temptations to lie and how may we overcome them". Scripture Prov. 12-1-22. Glen Gute leader. Next Sunday night closes the contest. Be sure and come and see the visitors.

Evening worship with sermon at 7:30.

Special music has been arranged.

"Life to be truly great must be Christian. It means to be Christlike."

**MEMORIAL BAPTIST**
**West Sixteenth Street**
**J. F. Dobbs, pastor.**

The attendance at the Sunday school last Sunday was a little below normal on account of the cold, but the congregation at the preaching services were up to normal and the interest splendid. We hope for a record attendance at all the services tomorrow.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. F. T. Outlaw, superintendent.

Preaching service, 11 a. m. Subject "Pressing Toward the Mark."

French preaching, 3 p. m. by P. B. Pettapas.

Sunbeam band, 5 p. m. conducted by Mrs. Hazel Woolman.

Three B. Y. P. U. meetings held at 6 p. m.

Song service begins at 7 p. m.

Evening preaching service, 7:15 p. m. Subject, "A Gift of More Value than Silver and Gold."

Prayer service, Wednesday, 7 p m., after which the regular monthly conference of the church will be held.

The W. M. U. meets Thursday, 2:30 p. m.

French service, Thursday, 7 p. m.

As the result of the prompt payment of the pledges the treasurer, G. M. Nichols, has been able to meet every payment on the new church lots and if these payments continue to be prompt, and we are sure they will, the lots will be paid out by August and then we will be ready to begin the new church building.

**PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL**
**Fifth and Stilwell**
**L. B. Franck, rector**

Motto: "Hold Fast to That Which is Essential; Liberty in Non-Essential; Charity in all Things".

Sunday school, every Sunday morning, 9:45. Mrs. Gilbert L. Root has taken charge of the cradle roll. All parents who desire that their children be on the cradle roll will please give notice to Mrs. Root. All children up to three years of age should be on this roll. All adults and members of the parish and friends are urged to attend the Bible classes.

Regular services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Especially good music. Miss Ethel King of the Franklin school will sing the offertory. The sermon will be the second of a series of six meditations.

Young Peoples Service League meetings every Sunday evening, 7 o'clock.

Every Wednesday evening devotional service and sermon. Meditation every morning in the church at 7:30.

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us into the house of the Lord."

The public is cordially invited to attend all the services.

**FIRST M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH**
**836 Fifth Street**
**V. A. Godbey and R. C. Goens, pastors**

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Ramsey Bible class meets at Pearce Theatre at 9:30 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by V. A. Godbey. Theme: "The Foundation of Success."

Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by R. C. Goens.

Intermediate Epworth League at 6:15 p. m.

Senior Epworth League meets at 6:15 p. m.

The board of stewards will give a banquet to all men of the church in the annex Monday at 6:45 p. m. Men who are not members of the church but regard this as their church home are invited. All "eats" free.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. This is the last prayer meeting for the month, and all members are requested to be present.

After this Sunday R. C. Goens will preach in the morning and V. A. Godbey at night, and this order will continue for three months.

The church enterprise is well under way and we are now starting in evangelistic campaign. Let every member work and pray for an advance on all lines of Christian endeavor. We invite the public to all services. A cordial welcome and free seats for every one.

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Service, Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Mind."

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

A reading room is open each week day except holidays, on the second floor of the Harris Bldg. 526 Fifth street, room 15

The public is cordially invited to attend these services and visit the reading room.

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL**
**Corner Sixth and Mobile**
**Wm. L. Caughran, pastor**

W. J. Steck, Supt. Church school.
Mrs. F. P. Dodge, Choir director.

Church school 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11. Sermon subject, "Jesus' Presentation of Service."

Evening worship 7:30. Sermon subject, "Who is Jesus Christ?"

Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Bible Study Class Wednesday evening at 8:15.

The membership and friends of the church are urged to support the Pre-Easter Program. Visitors re cordially received.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**
**Sixth and Waco Avenue**
**L. E. Carpenter, minister**

Bible study, 9:45 a. m.

Worship at 10:40 a. m. We will dismiss and go to the DeQueen Park meeting just after the Bible study and worship.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.

Ladies' class, Thursday, 9 a. m.

Come and bring your Bible with you and enjoy a real study of the Bible with us.

All are invited to these services.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**
**DeQueen Park, 2320 Eighth**

Bible study, 10 a. m.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The gospel meeting here continues with interest but may close Sunday night. Have you been coming?

Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:15 p m.

A special invitation to all to come and we will do you good.

**FIRST BAPTIST**
**C. W. Culp, pastor.**

Services for Sunday, February 25, 1923.

Services for the day begin with the Sunday school meeting in its accustomed places at 9:30 a. m. The preaching service will begin at 10:45 a. m. Splendid music is always a feature of this service. The pastor will speak on the subject of "Christ's Mass." Text John 3:14.

B. Y. P. U's will meet in usual session at 6:00 p. m. At 6:30 the individual B. Y. P. U's will go to their respective meeting places. The topic for the Senior unions is "Building for the Kingdom."

The evening preaching service will begin at 7:30. Good music will be one of the chief attractions of this service. The pastor will speak on the subject "A Remarkable Conversion", using a portion of the 4th chapter of the Gospel according to John.

We are hoping that the spirit of soul winning will grip all of our people. We will hold a ten days or two weeks meeting beginning about the middle of March. We are advertising this meeting as "The First Revival Meeting in the Old House." Soon after this meeting we expect to move into our new building. We expect that to be sometime in the month of May.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**
**Fourteenth and San Antonio Ave.,**
**F. W. Sieblitz, Pastor.**

Second Sunday in Lent.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Prof. H. Winnebrenner, superintendent.

Divine service at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject in the morning, "The Bible, the Verbally Inspired Word of God." Topic at the evening hour, "Answered?" or, "Is High Power Soft?" John 18:22.

Midweek Lenten service Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend our services.

**CENTRAL BAPTIST**
**Corner Sixth and San Augustine**
**T. E. Cannedy, pastor**

Bible school at 10 a. m. F. A. Dyer, Supt.

Sermon 11 a. m. Subject "The Baptist Church Covenant."

The Junior Intermediate and Senior B. Y. P. U's will meet at 2, 5 and 6:30 p. m., respectively.

At 7:30 p. m. R. C. W. Goens, state field worker of the Baptist General Convention, will preach. Those failing to hear Rev. Goens will miss a great blessing.

Woman's Auxiliary will meet Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

A cordial invitation to all these services.

# VET OF 86 JAILED FOR SON'S MURDER, THOUGH HIS STORY'S BELIEVED DREAM

BY ALEXANDER HERMAN
NEA Service Staff Writer

CAPE MAY COURTHOUSE, N. J., Feb. 24.—Pacing up and down as if he were doing sentry duty again, Israel W. Gifford, 86-year-old Civil War veteran, is calmly awaiting trial here for killing his son.

Although neighbors and even county authorities believe him innocent, he is being held on his own story. There is no other evidence.

A few miles away in a simple, little farmhouse sits nine-year-old Rachael Gifford looking wistfully at her dolls, but not playing with them. It isn't the death of her father, she says, that worries her, but the trouble her grandad is in.

Between these two Giffords—one at the end of life and the other at its beginning—is a bond of love that even death can't break. And behind it all is the tragedy of an old-fashioned family which prized honor more highly even than life.

**Prisoner's Story**

It was revealed to me by the old man himself, as he kept on pacing, up and down, down and up, in his cell. He sat down only for an instant, while his photo was being taken, and then resumed his march. Even when his own tale overpowered him and there came a catch in his voice, he wouldn't stop.

"This isn't the first time I've been in jail", he said. "I did six months in Libbey Prison when the Confederates captured me.

"But that was a long time ago. Lots has happened since then.

"When I got back from the war I settled down in this county. My wife and I were happy. We raised a family—one boy and a girl. I became superintendent of a cranberry bog and everything was fine.

"Then the children grew up. My wife died and the first break came. Willie, my boy, left home.

"About nine years ago his child was born. Cinderella, my daughter, and I raised her. She grew up to be one of the sweetest things ever created—our little Rachael."

The old veteran's voice broke.

"Willie, our boy, took to drink. He was living in Woodbine, only a couple of miles from our home. I used to go over and try to reason with him. But it did little good.

"He became worse. A couple of weeks back—it was Saturday, Feb. 3—he became threatening.

"I took a gun away from his room. That night I came back to see how he was. I heard him swearing up stairs. He was yellin gthat he would wipe out the whole family. And I think he would have done it. I went up. Just to frighten him I fired into the room

"The next morning they found him dead.

"I said nothing then. But it preyed on my mind. I couldn't sleep at night. I thought I'd go crazy unless I told someone. So I came over and told George Redding and Jimmy Hoffman. They're the sheriffs.

**Don't Know Why I Said**

"Don't ask me why I shot. I don't know. Only I didn't want anything to happen to little Rachael.

"Let them hang me, or electrocute me. I don't care. As long as Rachael doesn't know."

But the girl does know.

"I want my granddaddy," she sobs in the Gifford home. "I want him back more'n anything else in the world. He never did any wrong."

The neighbors and most of the officials also believe Gifford innocent.

Dr. Eugene Way, county physician, says it is unreasonable to believe that the old man shot his son in the manner he describes.

Dr. Randolph Marshall of Tuckahoe, N. J., for whose family Gifford has been working for 40 years, says the old veteran is suffering from hallucination.

"The whole thing was a dream," he says. "Gifford was home the night the crime was committed, and Cinderella, his daughter, can prove it. Nunerved by the tragedy, and over wrought by the investigation, the old man imagined the whole thing."

County officials tell you the same story.

Other folks say that Gifford is shielding someone else.

But the old man refuses to listen to such talk.

So he is awaiting grand jury action and a possible trial for life—even though the case might be dropped now if he would only recant his confession.

ISRAEL W. GIFFORD PHOTOGRAPHED IN HIS CELL IN CAPE MAY COUNTY COURTHOUSE WHERE HE IS AWAITING TRIAL FOR KILLING HIS SON. LEFT: RACHAEL GIFFORD AND THE GIFFORD FARMHOUSE AT STEELMANTOWN, WHERE SHE IS PINING FOR HER GRANDAD

## PRETTY SMILE

(Continued from Page 1.)

Proud Cecelia of the dapper type, Wilma declares that, as far back as she can remember in her 19 years she has got what she wanted just by smiling.

"That's all the use a girl has to give—just a grin or two," she says.

**Split Profits? No!**

Chance taught her the monetary value of a smile. A dental cream manufacturer told her her smile as an ad for tooth paste should be worth much money.

If worth money to him, why not to her, without splitting the profits? This thought got her into the game, from which she draws these conclusions:

"It's the old ones that are hard to—you know the kind I mean, with more dough than they know what to do with. Single or married, it's all the same.

"The good guys with a bunch of kids are different, though. They're so busy paying bills, they keep away from smiles. They know smiles cost money, and they're afraid of them.

**Easy Prey**

"But the other fellows, the ones with their minds full of money and business, they don't get most anywhere, so they grab it when it bumps into them.

"You drop some papers or a handkerchief in front of one of 'em, he returns it and first thing you know he's asking to take you out to lunch.

"But this bunch of fellows police us, wear big diamonds, say they pick finish. That's why they are here. They had to pull the rough stuff on the guy that squealed, or I could have got his dough without a word. Women don't need strong arm method and can get better results without. Just a smile or two is enough."

The world's population at the beginning of the nineteenth century was estimated at 700 millions. Now it is put at approximately 1600 millions having more than doubled in 120 years.

## Sale of Cigarettes Barred in Measure Now Before Solons

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 24.—The sale and manufacture of cigarettes in Texas is made unlawful in a bill introduced today in the house by Representative McDaniel. The smoking of cigarettes in public places is not prohibited by the bill. There is a provision that the measure shall not in any way interfere with interstate commerce, which means that the Texas cigarette smokers, in the event the bill is enacted into law, may have cigarettes shipped to them from outside of the state.

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# TROUBLE FEARED IN KLAN FIGHT

## Guns Strapped On As Men Go to Polls at El Paso

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 24.—This border city today grimly cast its ballots in its most exciting election of a decade.

A dangerous undercurrent of feeling gripped El Paso as the two forces—pro-ku klux klan and anti-klan gathered at the polls—and 100 special officers stood ready to assist regular authorities in case this should flare into violence.

**Many Wear Guns**

Each side had its representatives at every polling place, mostly men of the type referred to as "hard" with bulging hip pockets indicating the presence of the old "six shooter" of the west.

Stationed also at each box were several officers, keeping a keen watch for any disturbance.

Although officials declare they will be able to hold things in check, there was an air of nervousness at police headquarters. Some officials who had remained on the job all night were becoming impatient. If anything is to happen, let it happen and have it over with, is the way they feel.

**Business Ceases**

There was little business transacted here today. Merchants, barbers lawyers, hucksters, and others abandoned their regular duties to make round after round of polling places to find out "how is it going."

Conservative police officers estimated that there were more armed men in El Paso today than there had possibly ever been—thousands of them, and keyed to explode like dynamite with the touch of the spark. Authorities were attempting to prevent the spark.

R. M. Dudley, president pro tem of the Texas senate, is leading the anti-klan forces as their candidate for mayor. He is being opposed by a slate, admittedly that of the ku klux klan, headed by P. E. Gardner, an attorney.

## EARTHQUAKE FELT

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—An earthquake of severe intensity was registered on the seismograph at the University of Chicago today.

The first shock occurred at 1:45 a. m. and the last at five a. m. The maximum intensity was reached at 2:11 a. m.

Officials estimated the quake 5,076 miles southwest of Chicago, probably off the coast of Chile.

## CARGO OF HUMAN HAIR BROUGHT FROM CHINA

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 24. — A shipment of 27 tons of human hair, to be used in the manufacture of press cloth which is employed in the filtering of cottonseed oil, is en route here from Galveston. The hair was loaded at Hankow and Tientsin, China.

## FIRE THREATENS CITY

PETOSKY, Mich., Feb. 24.—Fire starting early today in the Alameda apartments drove residents to the street in their night clothes and caused damage estimated at more than $250,000 before it was brought under control. For a time, the business section of the city was threatened.

Two persons were probably fatally injured in escaping from the burning apartments.

# ROBBERY FAILS

## Banker Shot and All Wires Are Cut

ADENA, Ohio, Feb. 24.—Harry Price, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Mount Pleasant, was perhaps fatally wounded today when four masked bandits attempted to holdup the bank.

E. B. Jones, cashier, wounded one of the bandits but all four escaped. They failed to get any of the bank's funds.

Mount Pleasant is ten miles southeast of here. Auto posses are forming in all surrounding towns.

Price, a bullet through his abdomen, will die, physicians believed.

The bandits fled when Jones returned their fire as he stood barricaded behind the safe door.

All telephone and telegraph wires running out of Mount Pleasant, Dillonville and several other small towns in this vicinity were cut.

## MAN FOUND DYING

GRANGE, Feb. 24.—Joe Daley, oil field worker, was found in an unconscious condition in his room here. Blood vessels in his left arm had been severed and a razor was found nearby. The man was rushed to the hospital where it was stated he will recover.

## WOMAN HELD FOR MURDER OF HUSBAND

WACO, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Maude McCarter, 26, resident of Waco, was arrested and taken to Corsicana yesterday, charged with the murder of her husband, Arch McCarter, who was killed there six months ago. Lee Samons, brother-in-law to Mrs. McCarter and her father, W. S. Smith, were also arrested. Mrs. McCarter had formerly been held on this charge, but had been released when she claimed self-defense.

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# TARRING BILL IS PRESENTED

## Death Penalty Provided in Proposed Measure

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 24.—With penalties ranging from ten years in the penitentiary to death, a bill introduced in the house today by Representative J. V. Fruka, of Columbus, denounces as a felony the offense of kidnaping or abducting of any person for the purpose of tarring and feathering, maiming, whipping, injuring in any manner, clipping, cutting or otherwise removing the hair, or holding such person for the purpose of demanding ransom.

## REPEAL OF CIGARETTE BAN IN UTAH ASKED

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 24.—Demands for the repeal of the now famous Utah anti-cigarette law, were to be voiced here today in a mass meeting to which all who smoke are welcome.

The meeting called by opponents of the law, is expected to demand immediate action by the legislature removing the measure from the statute books.

Cigarette "bootleggers" were reported doing a flourishing business today although far less openly than previously.

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## Good Gulfers Romp Away With Central Hi in Slow Scrap

### Visitors, Outmatched Against Port Arthurians, Play Losing Game From First Whistle; College and Hi Five Play Sloppy Prelim.

By "Bill" ARCHER

HOUSTON'S Central Hi girls were no match for the Good Gulf Girl's Sextete.

The game they played in Franklin gym last night was settled long be... the game had been ended: when the final whistle blew, Port Arthur's ...s' contingent had romped off with another sterling victory, 36 to 5.

Even with O'Neal, flashy forward ... the local contingent, out of the ...me in the final stages of play, ... Good Gulfers continued to pile ...a score that the visitors were ...ver able to check.

**HOUSTON SCORES FIRST.**

Houston scored first: Referee ...tes of Houston was strict—very ...ict—on technical fouls and person... contact, and O'Neal drew a tech...cal foul that allowed the Houston ...ls to hurl one free point.

Then the ball shot down into en...y territory, and the Good Gulf ...ards vied with one another in ...ing pretty baskets.

At the end of the first half, the ...re had already assumed a lop-sid... stand, the Gulfers leading 18 ...1.

**...D CLAMPED DOWN.**

The visitors scored but one point ...ring the last period, and that was ...ade on a foul. They were held to ...o field goals during that stage of ...e game, the guarding of Williams ...nd Crow standing out through the ...ntest as a staunch obstacle for the ...ouston club.

Play waxed dull after the first 10 ...inutes, and it was ended in the esti...ation of the fans, as far as its out...me was concerned, long before the ...feree's whistle called final time.

**HOME TALENT MATCH.**

O'Neal and Ericson had a little ...ntest all their own during the ...me. They tried to outdo each oth... in throwing baskets and yet each ...s playing for the high count of ... entire club.

Ericson got away with seven field ...ls and four goals, while O'Neal ...w seven field goals and two fouls. ... may have thrown more, but five ...nicals called her from the floor ...t minutes before the game was ...er.

**PRODUCE NO STARS.**

Houston produced no stars Kerr, ...ght forward of the visitors, was ...he only Central Hi player who ...pped off a field goal, and that did ...ot bring a rally or cause a spurt. The "three-section-ground-rules" ...reed upon at the first of play pro...bited the locals from exhibiting ...ir sterling quality as fighters and ...sketball players, and Port Arthur's ...ls were unable to get loose on a scrapping streak such as the fans would have appreciated.

**SLOPPY PRELIMINARY.**

A sloppy, loosely played prelimin... practice game between Port Ar...r College and the high school ...ntet resulted in a 12-12 tie.

It was possibly the rottenest ex...bition staged in Franklin gym this ...ason. The College boys were held ... four points in the first half of ... contest by the high school five, ...o failed to produce any team ...rk. And the final half, the Col...e boys turned the tables around ... held their opponents scoreless, ...aging to even up the count.

Their exhibition was decidedly ...gish and less interesting than the ...' clash, and would probably ...e looked better had the court ... divided into three sections.

| Good Gulf (36) | Pos. | (5) Houston |
|---|---|---|
| O'Neal | rf | Kerr |
| Ericson | lf | (c) Salter |
| ...rke | c | Wennberg |
| Hollifield | sc | Kelly |
| Williams | rg | Vaughn |
| Crow | lg | Parker |

Scoring:

O'Neal 7 field goals, 2 fouls; Ericson 7 field goals, 4 fouls; Hollifield 1 field goals; Kerr 1 field goal; Salter 2 fouls; Parker 1 foul. Personals ... Gulf 3; Houston 5

Substitutions

Parker for Kerr; Karnaky for ...nnberg; Holberg for Williams; ... for Salter; Wennberg for Karnaky; Karnaky for Vaughn: Pharr ... Holberg; Williams for Crow; ...ghn for Karnaky; Teeple for ...y; Salter for Parker.

Referee, Gates (Houston), um...e, Conway (Springfield), scorer ...venson (Houston); time, 15-15.

## ON THE FIRING LINE

With "TAB"

Houston's six was no match for the Good Gulf Girls club, it's probably a good thing for them that the locals agreed to divide the court into three sections and play by the old antiquated rules of "you touch me and I'll get to throw a free-goal" otherwise they might not have been able to get even five points.

**Margarette O'Neal got overzealous during the contest, and just couldn't keep one hand behind her when throwing a goal—which cost her her position on the court eight minutes before the game was over, and she was replaced by Hollifield.**

They cleaned beads off the court with a broom and a scoop last night during the intermission.

**One of the high school players said something about going home last night soon after the exhibition play between the high school five and the College—and a bystander said: "Yeah, go home and get a rule book and read up on how to play basketball."**

Gene Tunney and Harry Greb played a game of tag up in Gotham last night while several thousand fans got disgusted and gave 'em th razz. Gene is copped the title when the game was over. All of which makes him "light-heavyweight champ of America" all over again.

**The golf "bull-sheet" fest is over at Houston. Pop Boone: "Sports scribe of the Fort Worth Record, let the cup go to the Houston Chronicle for a year.**

"You splash me and I'll splash you" seems to be the policy of some Texas sports scribes in connection with apple-saucing each other on the Houston golf razz-a-mah-jazz One scribe boosts another who in turn boosts himself, and they each put one another on the wrist for a half column of coo-coo.

**Resumption of play in the Boy Scout basketball tourney began this morning in Franklin gym at 9 o'clock with the pick of the local Scouts matched against each other for honors.**

Wanted. A girl's basketball team that will come here and play the fast Good Gulf club under the new rules, abandoning the old style of play. Only scraping sextettes need apply.

**Crow shot a few sensational goals last night; that is, they were shot from a big distance and they went clean when they hit the basket. But had the opposition—the College—been fighting as they should have, Crow would never have hit a goal.**

The exhibition between the College and the high school basketball teams fell 1,000 per cent short of what either team can do. Neither club played basketball, and their clash as a prelude to the Good Gulf-Houston til was about as sluggish as ever witnessed here.

## KID GLEASON RATED BY CRITICS AS MIRACLE MANAGER

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—When it comes to miracle men in baseball, don't overlook Kid Gleason of the Chicago Americans.

The manager of the White Sox at the close of the 1920 season was left a remnant of his once great team because of the 1919 world series scandal.

No one will deny but that Chicago made it interesting for any club it played last season.

Gleason developed three great young pitchers last year in Leverette, Robertson and Ted Blankenship. Pitching is most essential.

Gleason is already enthusing over his chances for the coming season. He is well satisfied with his pitching. It is in other departments that he feels the club should be much stronger.

The Sox manager is positive that in Taylor, a recruit shortstop, he has a fine understudy for Ernie Johnson, and that in Woodworth he has a certain successor for Eddie Collins when the veteran passes out.

The new outfielders, Pennington and Elsh, will be hard to keep out of the regular lineup. Gleason feels that it will be a difficult matter to keep Elsh from breaking into the lineup right off the reel.

At third he will have the much-touted Willie Kamm.

All of this explains why Gleason is so enthusiastic over his team's chances for 1923.

## LAST ROUND OF PLAY TODAY AT HOUSTON CLUB

### Jack Tarrant Meets Carleton This Morning

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 24.—Jack Tarrant of San Antonio and C. S. Carleton, of Houston were to start at 10 a. m. today on a 36-hole match to decide the first flight championship of the ninth annual midwinter invitation golf tournament of the Houston Country club.

The entire tournament has been marked by the general upset of general dope but the big and most unexpected surprise came yesterday when Carleton eliminated George Rotan, a fellow townsman, thrice winner of the tournament and ex-state champion. Carleton also defeated Dudley Golding who had just beaten E. M. Wild of Short Hills N. J., the supposed dark horse of the tournament.

Tarrant eliminated Tom Cochran of Wichita Falls and Charles Dexter upon whom the Dallas fans were pinning their hopes.

Both the Tarrant-Cochran and the Golding-Carleton matches were followed by large galleries.

All the interest in the day's match was not centered about the first flight A close watch was kept on both the second and third flights. In the third flight another of the number of surprises which marked the tourney was experienced when J. L. Carr of Houston defeated Frederick of Austin, two up and one to play in the semi-finals. F. J. Fester Houston, eliminated R. T. Faulkner, Dallas in his flight also and was to meet Carr in the finals today.

## Reconstruct Stands

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 24.—The building boom on Kyle Field, Aggie athletic ground which has become a regular yearly occurrence is now on and when it is completed at the end of the summer season A. and M. will have one of the most complete athletic fields in the state.

Under construction now is a new baseball grandstand that will serve also spectators attending track events It will seat 3500 people and will obviate the old bleacher stands. Contract has been closed by the athletic council for the construction of a steel seating stand on the west side of the football field with a capacity of 2500 spectators.

## Mondt's Big Jump Ended in Loss

JOE "TOOTS" MONDT

By NEA Service

The humble rise of Joe ("Toots") Mondt from coach of the Colorado Aggie wrestling team to a place opposite "Strangler" Ed Lewis for the world champion title was only for a while. The strangling grappler toppled Mondt two straights after the Colorado coach had won the first fall in short fashion.

## Still Oppose Draft

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Western league club owners reaffirmed their decision not to subscribe to the draft and postponed action on a schedule for next season until another meeting. It was decided that the season will open April 18 or 19 and that it probably will consist of 154 games.

## TO TRAIN EARLY

NORMAN, Okla., Feb. 24. — The Oklahoma university gridiron squad will begin training Wednesday for the 1923 season, Bennie Owen, head coach announced today.

A number of Oklahoma's stars of last year will be lost by graduation or by having already played three years in the Missouri Valley conference, but indications are that there will be from five to ten aspirants for each position

## HIKE CALLED OFF

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 24.—Rain caused the postponement of the proposed 50-mile hike by 30 university girls which had been scheduled to begin early in the afternoon. Co-eds going on the trip, which is from Austin to New Braunfels, will start this morning at 9 o'clock if the weather permits. Two other 50-mile hikes are also scheduled this year.

## ED WALSH SIGNS UP

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 24.—Big Ed Walsh, for ten years idol of Chicago's baseball fans because of his ability as the "iron man" pitcher of the White Sox, is coming back to the Sox He was signed assistant to Manager Kid Gleason, succeeding Johnny Evers Last year Walsh was given a trial as an umpire in the American League.

## Detroit Produces White Hope

DETROIT, Feb. 24.—Detroit has visions of another world's heavyweight champion pugilist. A big fellow, who is at present being groomed to take the place once occupied in the realm of fistiana by its other native son, Tommy Burns

The chap referred to is Jack McAuliffe, protege of Mark Shaughnessy, who in the two years he has been in the game has come to the front with such rapid strides that he already looms up as one of the most dangerous men in the division.

McAuliffe has all the requisites that go to make a real fighter. He is a young giant, standing 6 feet 1 inch, and weighs 200 pounds. He is only 22 years old, but is a marvel of physical perfection. For a big fellow he is exceptionally fast, and he has the tremendous shoulders of the athlete and the tapering waist. His chest is larger, when expanded, than that of Jess Willard, despite the fact that of the former champion outweighs him by 50 pounds.

McAuliffe is also the possessor of an exceedingly long left arm, which is said by critics to be the fastest and sturdiest left in heavyweight circles. Certainly it is the longest, longer even than the well known reach of Willard

To date, McAuliffe has engaged in 16 bouts, of which all but one were won by the knockout route. The only man he failed to topple was Floyd Johnson, at present one of the leading contenders for Jack Dempsey's crown. McAuliffe couldn't hand Johnson a sleep-producing punch, but he gained the verdict in six rounds

With the exception of Tom O'Neil, who managed to last seven sessions most of McAuliffe's opponents have hit the canvas after two or three rounds of battling. All told, his 16 bouts have averaged but a bit more than three rounds to the fight A most remarkable record considering the class of men he has met, and the short time he has been at the game

No less an authority than Jim Corbett declares that McAuliffe seems certain to reach the heights of pugilistic fame within the next two years. "I believe," says Corbett, "that, barring accidents, McAuliffe will be the champion of the world. He has everything necessary—youth, speed boxing cleverness, strength, health and courage. He is the fastest and cleverest big man I have ever seen."

And coming from a man like Corbett that's praise aplenty.

Shaughnessy, however, doesn't figure on making the mistake many others have made by matching his pupil with the top-notchers in a hurry. On the other hand, he plans on biding his time, grooming McAuliffe, slowly and carefully, with a crack at the title as the inevitable goal.

## HONOR FOR PADEREWSKI

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 24.—The decree of doctor of laws was conferred on Ignace Jan Paderewski, musician and statesman, by the University of Southern California here Thursday in connection with patriotic exercises in observance of Washington's birthday

## TRAPPEING UNDER FIRE

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Wrestling in western conference is under fire. ...mer E. Jones, director of the ...hool of education at Northwestern ...iversity, in a statement attacked ...e conference rules governing wrest...ng bouts and asserted that "there ... no chance now for a display of ...kill."

"Wrestling in the conference is a ...ead sport," he declared. "The man ...ho rides the other fellow longer is ...e winner, no matter how poor a ...restler he is."

## ... MEETS ON BOOM

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 24.—Local interest in rifle shooting shows steady growth, under the judicious promotion of the several guard companies and rifle clubs. The latest organization to enter the field, the ...ntury Rifle club, which has its ...ad at Century hall, 480 Farwell ...venue, is one of the most active ...rces in the field.

## TUNNEY LANDS ON GREB AND CAPTURES BELT

### Madison Square Fight Dubbed Poor Specimen

BY HENRY L. FARRELL

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Gene Tunney, hero of the marines during the war, joined Stanley Ketchel, Pete Herman and Joe Lynch last night in that little group of "formers" who came back," when he defeated Harry Greb in a 15-round bout in Madison Square Garden and regained the American light-heavyweight championship.

The decision was popular in the New York section of the crowd that packed the garden to the rafters but it was not unanimously approved. Several competent critics thought Greb had won and others thought that the worst the Pittsburgh boy should have been given was a draw.

It was the ultimate opinion that it was a very poor fight and if preliminary boys had been furnishing the exhibition instead of champions, they would have been thrown out of the ring.

Greb and Tunney milled and wrestled like two awkward freight handlers. There were only about three good clean blows landed. Tunney was rocked once with a right hook to the jaw and in the 14th Greb almost hit the floor from a right hook of Tunney's

Greb fought foul all during the bout. He was warned at least two dozen times by Referee Haley and several times took the call down so much that he offered to fight Haley and squared off in front of him.

Even if Greb had been close to winning the decision, his foul work probably would have influenced the judges against him.

Greb could not have gotten much farther. In a 20-round bout, he most certainly would have been knocked out

## COACH ROCKNE BOUND TO LONG COLLEGE PACT

### Will Not Leave Notre Dame, Says Mentor

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 24.—Any time some big college releases its football coach, the name of Knute Rockne, famous football mentor at Notre Dame, is prominently mentioned as his successor.

The remarkable success of Rockne at Notre Dame has made him a much sought after coach. Since the close of the football season he has had a dozen offers, most of them involving a salary far in excess of what he will receive at Notre Dame.

However, all the reports about Rockne leaving Notre Dame are mere piffle. Rockne gained football fame as a Notre Dame player and the love of his Alma Mater is strong. These words by Rockne should put to rest all rumors that he is to quit Notre Dame:

"I am under contract to Notre Dame and intend to live up to it. My contract does not expire until 1925. I have had many offers but there is no chance to accept."

## BLOCK CONSOLIDATION

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 24.—A proposal to consolidate the Nebraska and South Dakota State Baseball leagues into an eight-club circuit was defeated by the directors of the Nebraska circuit at their meeting here. Failure to agree on the matter of distribution of gate receipts proved the first handicap, and a second objection was made to the proposal that two Nebraska towns be dropped to make room for the consolidation.

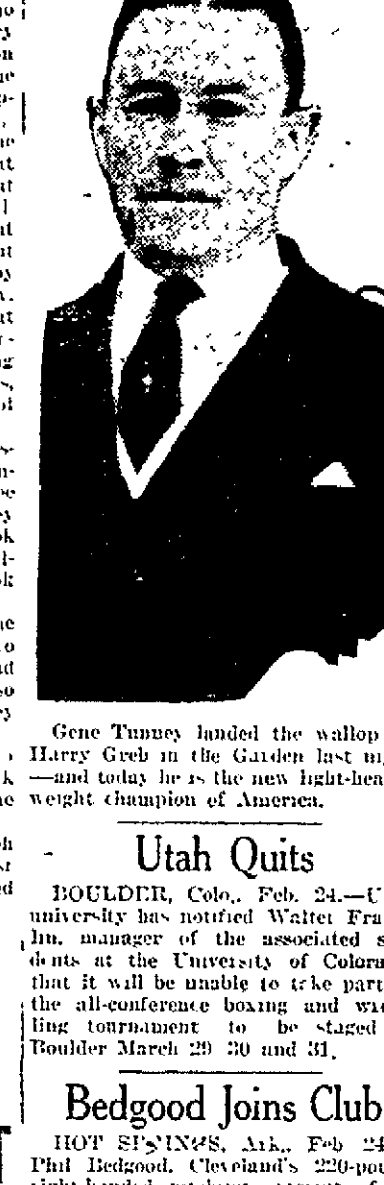
## ARROW IS INSIGNIA

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 24.—Silver arrows with raised lettering, have been adopted as the insignia of the University Archery club. The club is composed of girls taking archery as physical training. Plans are now being made for a spring tournament, which is expected to be held as soon as the weather permits.

## Buy Team to Use As Farming Club

SHREVEPORT, La., Feb. 24.—The Shreveport Baseball Association, through its president and manager, contracted to purchase controlling interest in the Meridian Baseball association of the Cotton States League. The club will be used as a farm for the developing of players for the local team.

## CHAMP!



Gene Tunney landed the wallop on Harry Greb in the Garden last night —and today he is the new light-heavyweight champion of America.

## Utah Quits

BOULDER, Colo., Feb. 24.—Utah university has notified Walter Franklin, manager of the associated students at the University of Colorado, that it will be unable to take part in the all-conference boxing and wrestling tournament to be staged in Boulder March 29 30 and 31.

## Bedgood Joins Club

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb 24.—Phil Bedgood, Cleveland's 220-pound right-handed pitching recruit from Chattanooga, joined the Indians' veteran hurlers here Sunday. Bill's a big fellow and he's a little weight to take off so he made the junket here on his own initiative in order to get a flying start when the regular practice opens up at Lakeland, Fla., next week.

Babe Ruth has company, too, as Everett Scott, Yankee shortstop, has joined him here for his golf games.

## SPIRIT OF PEP KEEPS AUSTIN IN BIG LEAGUE

### Veteran Diamond Star Signs Another Pact

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 24.—Jimmy Austin is to again be a member of the Browns. His signed contract has just been received at the offices of the American League club.

Past 40 years of age, having outlived his usefulness as a regular, Jimmy Austin is still regarded as a most valuable asset by the owners of the Browns.

How come? Business Manager Bobby Quinn, who directs the affairs of the club, explains everything in a few words:

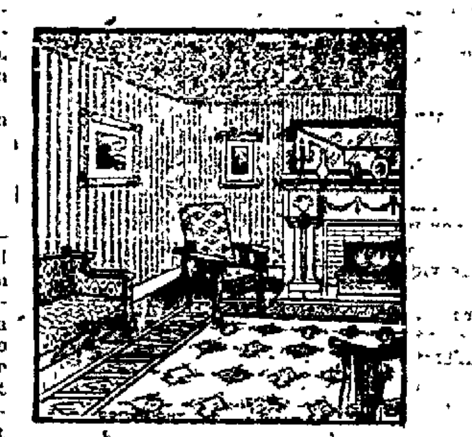
"The spirit of Austin makes him a valuable man to the Browns. A player like Austin means much to a team In victory he fights, in defeat he fights even harder.

"The spirit of Austin becomes the spirit of the Browns. Austin is carried because he is an optimist who believes only in victory. His cheery words on the coaching lines are often far more valuable to the morale of a ball club than a cluster of base hits."

There you have the reason for Jimmy Austin's presence in the lineup of the St. Louis Browns, his fighting spirit.

The case of Jimmy Austin should serve as a model for every ambitious youngster breaking into the majors. Never a great ball player, Austin made himself a most valuable man because he was always trying, giving his best.

Bullets shot point first straight up into the air return with the points still upward and if fired base first they will come down base upward.

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### WHERE THEY BUY

Texas Utility News says there are any number of mills in the Old South states that manufacture towels out of cotton grown in Texas, and yet there is not a towel mill in Texas. All the Texas money for towels is sent to other states. Texas produces a greater number of hides than any American state. There is not a tannery in Texas, nor a shoe factory. There are 5,000,000 Texans who wear shoes. They buy from the manufacturers of New England and the north and the middle west.

### FACE TO FACE WITH RUIN

A Texas lawmaker says ruin in the shape of unavoidable deficits faces the prison system unless farming on a large scale is abandoned and the system concentrated somewhere near the center of the state. And the aforesaid lawmaker coms from somwhere near the center of the state. This has a tendency to make his argument gripping and holding.

Scrapping of war craft will cost the United States $21,000,000. All this on account of the disarmament pact. Has Great Britain disarmed? Has France ratified the pact? If not, why not?

### CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION

Twenty-five years ago North Carolina was a poverty-stricken state. A Waco manufacturer furnishes the information that there is one county in North Carolina that has built its 110th cotton mill in the past few years.

He scored again when he furnished the information that Texas consumes less than 3 per cent of its production of cotton, while the mills of North and South Carolina consume several hundred thousand bales in addition to their production.

It is proposed to submit a constitutional amendment to the people to exempt from taxation factories for ten years. If submitted it would serve to educate the people of Texas to the importance of doing something in the way of making Texas a great manufacturing state.

Record-breaking rains have come to the lower Rio Grande valley, and the tillers of the soil are glad. There should be bumper crops harvested in every section of Texas the coming summer and fall.

### HOW THEY STAND

House lawmakers of the 38th legislature voted for the adoption of a concurrent amendment to submit the con-con question to the people and this by a vote of 77 to 41. Now it is up to the senate to take action. Ninety-three delegates to the constitutional convention are to be chosen, three being from each senatorial district, to be selected by district vote at an election to be held the second Saturday in March, 1925. There is no provision made in the resolution for the election of delegates at large. There are 31 senators. Ten are for a new constitution, 10 are undecided, and 11 are up in the air.

Texas lawmakers gave Bexar county a new district court. If the lawmakers would put over the Carpenter bill which provides that idle judges shall go to the aid of overworked judges, there would be no need of additional district courts.

### NOTED TEXAS TALKERS

Senator Morris Shepard of Texas had a fit of nervous prostration just before the November election and his physician advised him to seek rest in a sanitarium. And on Feb. 20 Senator Shepard of Texas, leading the filibuster against a shipping bill forced a recess after he had talked a total of sixteen hours and forty-five minutes and continuously for six hours and forty minutes.

There is not a woman on earth who will be able to get the last word in if she engaged in a talkfest with the junior senator from Texas taking the other end of the argument.

Cyclone Davis has been known to talk continuously eighteen hours but the Cyclone was talking in the open and was leading a noise instead of a filibuster movement. This happened in the good old days when populism was in flower. Wall Street was the wicked Babylon of the word, and "all the people of America were the manacled serfs of Mammon."

This is the way that the Cyclone told his tale in the famous olden but not golden days. Now he is the owner of a pecan orchard.

Official Washington says that national war on boll weevil is well under way. How is the Mexican invader to be eliminated? Is he to be chloroformed or shot?

### OUT OF PLACE

Kansas has a law prohibiting the sale or giving away of cigarettes, but there is nothing to prevent the smoking of them. Now Senator R. C. Howard of that state has introduced a bill making it a penitentiary offense for any person in Kansas who is found with cigarettes or the makings in his possession. Senator R. C. Howard of Kansas should be incarcerated in the nearest sanitarium. He should have happened 250 years ago. He is out of place in this century.

William H. Anderson of New York is the hero of a grand jury investigation. Anderson is state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League and the district attorney of New York county has him on the rack charged with illegal irregularities the conduct of the financial affairs of the league. Isn't this treason to the 18th amendment and the Volstead act?

### LOS ANGELES

Los Angeles has another sensation. Earl Remington, a noted electrical engineer, was shot to death, and now the authorities are offering huge rewards for the arrest of his unknown slayer. He had reputation, he had wealth, he had large interests, and an actress says that Remington told her that his wife did not love him. As the widow has nervous prostration, and as the police are up in the air, this latest sensational murder is as mysterious as that of the slaying of William Desmond Taylor.

In the good old days it was wine, women and song. Now it appears to be women and song.

In the good old days John Barleycorn carried the load. John was banished and made an outlaw. No doubt he deserved to be branded as an outlaw, but the man with the gun is in the land of the living and there were more homicides in America last year than there were in any one of the bygone years when the saloons were wide open and the gambling houses never closed.

Really those who are guilty of unprovoked murders should have their necks broken by the legal hangman or sent to the electric chair. Those who slay without mercy should be shown no mercy, for they are cowards all.

John Tigert says that many times more money is spent for tobacco annually in the United States than for education and many times more by the women for powder and rouge.

Then let's abolish powder and rouge.

## YOU AND I

### WOMEN

Out of 078 possible occupations listed by the Census Bureau, only 33 have not yet been invaded by women.

Women have made good as judges, lawyers, preachers, chemists, architects, surgeons, technical engineers, sailors, stevedores, street cleaners, plumbers, blacksmiths, bricklayers, bankers—and in 664 other lines of work.

It is a record of which all women can be proud, though we are just old-fashioned enough to believe that the most successful women are the mothers and wives, just as the most successful men—from the nation's viewpoint—are the good fathers and husbands.

### DANGER

If some one handed you a stick of dynamite and asked you to carry it home for him, what would you do? Start running?

A company that makes high explosives checks up and finds that 280 million pounds of dynamite and other blow-up materials were made in 1920, sold and shipepd all over the country — without any property losses or personal accidents. And only one accident in 1921.

Explosives haven't been made foolproof. But the people who handle them exercise great caution. Nothing is really dangerous when we are careful. All accidents are due to some one's carelessness.

### SKULLS

Hrdlicka, scientist, says the average skull of today is comparable to that of the later cave men of 15,000 years ago.

Then how can we account for the great advance in average intelligence, if the scientists are right about the shape of the skull reflecting the owner's intelligence?

Has average intelligence really increased, or is the mob merely hitched to greater leaders than in the past, like trains to locomotives? A safe thing to discuss anywhere. No one admits he belongs to the average.

### FLIGHT

South America sends rumor of an agreement by which 500,000 Japanese will move to Brazil and form a colony. Brazil is glad to get them, to help develop her natural resources. And overcrowded Japan is glad they're leaving, for the Japanese government will pay the immigrants' expenses.

This is a big racial movement. But it is as a small creek to a giant river, compared with the huge multitudes that will abandon Europe and move to other countries within the next two decades. Several million Germans probably would be on their way to America — if they could leave Germany and get through our immigration restriction.

### PROSPECTS

People will face trouble only up to a certain point, then move away to seek relief. That's what brought America its first colonists. And it's the escape that will be sought by overburdened Europeans as soon as they fully realize that it will take generations to unscramble the eggs over there.

We could have the pick of the emigrants, if we wanted them. The outlook is, most of them will settle in Brazil, Australia, western Canada and parts of Africa. Big wars always start gigantic racial movements, shittings of population. One of them impends now.

### RELIGION

The facts of science offer no proof of a spiritual life after death. But they involve no contradiction of such a future life. So says Prof. Arthur A. Blanchard, of Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

People with long memories will ponder that. Science and religion used to be far apart. Day by day, in every way, science moves closer to religion's camp. Truth always wins in the long run.

### RUN

In Chicago twice as much money is going into new building projects as a year ago. Fred Armstrong, expert by reason of his connection with the building trades, says: "This activity forecasts a certain drop in rents this year, as a large proportion of the permits taken out are for residential purposes."

Same situation, in most other cities. More than two billion dollars worth of homes will be erected in our country during 1923. It leaves a big margin of increase after allowing for old homes torn down. Law of supply and demand made rents soar. The tide turns and the same law is due to make rents come down. It'll take time—at least several years—to return to normal

### TRUCKS

Plenty of coal waiting at the mines, but the railroads cannot haul it, on account of car shortage. With railroads having more freight than they can handle promptly, we realize the immense value of auto trucks.

Over a million motor trucks are in service in America, hauling 1430 million tons of freight a year. The trucks will never endanger the railroads. Both are needed. Within 20 years we'll also have to have flying freight trains.

### PRESS AGENTS

A crate of grapefruit is shipped across the ocean to Clemenceau. The story is circulated that the "Tiger", when in America, found grapefruit exhilarating and healthful. So it is. But in the dim background we scent a press agent for grapefruit growers.

It's an age of propaganda — press agents seeking free advertising. A newspaper editor's problem used to be to get something to print. Now, bombarded by clever "publicity engineers", the problem is rapidly becoming, what not to print.

One banquet given by President Loubet of France to the czar and czarina of Russia, cost $80,000 for 500 covers.

### "THE BOY GREW OLDER"

## The One-Man Woman

### ALICE'S MOTIVE?

By Ruth Agnes Ebeling

The coroner entered. An undertaker followed.

Gentle little Sing Loy was thrust ruthlessly out of the room. Strange men laid careless hands on his beloved dead.

While Kate lingered about, hoping to find some hint of motive, the two men made short work of their charge. To them the fuffy-haired girl was simply a woman who died in a "Chink joint." The silken wrappings were hastily removed. And with their removal the personality of the girl seemed to change. She lost something of her daring, something of her venturesomeness. They left her, virginly slim and white in fresh voile undergarments, incongruous with the passion of color around her.

"Found this," the coroner was brusquely offering Kate a white envelope. "Relative of hers? Might want to read it."

He was gone, leaving Kate stupidly fingering the envelope.

Her first thought was of Sing Loy. Any message or any possessions which Alice might have left should belong first to him. She sent Latham, whom she found restlessly pacing the passageway, for the oriental.

At length he returned. Sing Loy trotted after him. There was dejection, grief, in every line of his figure.

Kate held out the envelope. Sing Loy took it, opened it, glanced at the writing and then shook his head. He handed it back to Kate.

"You read," he said. "I not read Melican way."

Kate opened the envelope. It had been through the mail and had been opened before the coroner put it in her hands. She slipped the letter out and glanced at the contents and signature.

She said to Sing Loy:

"It's nothing. Just a note about some bills. I'll take care of it."

Kate folded the note and put it in her purse.

At first Sing Loy was inclined to regard the action with suspicion. A peculiar light shone in his beady eye but died instantly. After all, what was a scrap of paper with a few words written on it? Alice was gone. That he knew and that alone mattered.

He picked up the gorgeous silken garment which had been cast aside by the American men when they entered the room. He stood for a second looking at the slim, silent body of the girl. Then he replaced its winding of colorful fabric.

At least she should be his Chinese bride in death.

As Sing Loy stood, his thin brown fingers clasping those unresponsive ones, Kate slipped out and left him there alone.

At the front of the shop she came to a sudden halt.

(To Be Continued)

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AT LEAST SHE SHOULD BE HIS CHINESE BRIDE IN DEATH.

## STORK MYTH BAD, SO SAYS CHILD EXPERT

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 24.—While there is no objection to the Santa Claus myth as an explanation for mysterious doings in December, there are strong objections to the stork, cabbage-patch, angels and doctor's satchel stories, as explanation of the mystery of the new arrival, according to Miss Alma L. Binzel, expert in child training, and training for parent-hood, in her last of a series of talks, The Stork or the Truth, at the Grand avenue school.

"Almost all grown-ups participate frankly in the Santa Claus myth, but they expect children to become skeptical after a bit," Miss Binzel commented. "Then, these grown-ups show that Santa Claus is just a name given to the spirit that prompts little folk and big to express love through secret planning for the happiness of others.

## GULF COAST TO PUT MILLION INTO ROAD

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 24.—The Gulf Coast Lines will spend more than $1,000,000 during the present year in improvements to its properties in Louisiana and Texas, J. S. Pyeatt, Houston, president and general manager, announced upon completion of the annual inspection, directed by George H. Walker of New York, chairman of the board of directors. Mr. Walker and Mr. Pyeatt arrived here from Brownsville, having gone over the entire line. They left for Havana, Cuba.

"The Gulf Coast Lines are in good condition as far as equipment is concerned," Mr. Pyeatt said, "as the company has spent liberal amounts for this purpose during the last two years."

## BILLBOARDS TABOOED BY JUDEA GOVERNOR

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Jerusalem, battered 10 times in its troubled history, must now be defended from a new enemy—the snappy man with modern ideas—Brig. Gen. Ronald Storrs, military and civil governor of Judea under the British mandate, said Monday night in his parting message to America.

"I've blocked plans to put shiny corrugated roofs on consecrated buildings; to run a trolley line the five miles from Jerusalem to Bethlehem, to lay a tramway up the Mount of Olives," the governor said. "The historic and religious beauty of Jerusalem require years for appreciation and we should reverence it. I have tried to keep the billboard out, too."

Gen. Storrs expressed the hope that religious bodies, Christian, Mohammedan and Jewish, would join in preserving the historic spots in and about the Holy city.

## MARLIN GETS CLINIC

MARLIN, Feb. 24.—Marlin's ever-broadening facilities as a health resort will be increased materially with the erection at a cost of $20,000 of the new Shaw-Streit clinic, work on which will begin this week.

The institution will be located on a lot purchased from J. W. Hoke and adjoining the Bethesda bathhouse on Coleman street. Cost of the building, which will be of brick with a frontage of 40 feet and a depth of 80 feet, will be approximately $15,000, and additional $5,000 worth of equipment for treatment and cure of the sick will be installed, including several hospital beds.

## THEATRES

### SATURDAY

Strand: Musical revue, "A Pair of Kids;" and Bert Lytell in "Sherlock Brown."

Peoples: Mary Pickford starring in "Tess of the Storm Country."

Pearce: Tom Mix in "Catch My Smoke."

Liberty: Edyth Sterling in "The Stranger of Canyon Valley."

Green Tree: "Night Life in Hollywood."

### RARE MUSICAL TREAT

The Neil O'Brien minstrels which play Tuesday night, February 27, at the Strand theater, feature a program this season which will be decidedly different from preceding years. Of course the traditional "first part", remains, but an entirely new and elaborate finale has been provided for it, the music which has been written by Frederick V. Bowers, noted song writer of New York City. It is called "Lest We Forget", and deals with a subject that is causing legislators much trouble and worry at the present time. A special scenic outfit has been provided for this number.

Reserved seats are now being handled by the Hart Drug company.

### TRIBUTE TO FIRE BUDDIES

Recalling probably the everlasting thrills that a fire engine brings as it races up a street, Director Emory Johnson, has taken a story of the American firemen, and made a production that is remarkable. He has given the fire engines an almost human character and paid a great tribute to the heroism of the firemen. Spectacle, however, is only one angle of interest. The story, of Dan MacDowell and his horse is entertainment of the most sincere order. Their discard because of the new engines, lead into pathetic scenes.

The cast includes Ralph Lewis, who will be remembered for the work he did in "In the Name of the Law", as Policeman O'Hare, Johnny Walker, Ella Hall, Frankie Lee, and Bullet (Himself). "The Third Alarm" playing the local fire buddies a benefit, will open a four-day engagement at the Pearce theater.

### AN ARTISTIC SET

One of the most artistic and picturesque small sets ever made for a motion picture is the home of Bonita and Don Jose dell Guerda, a Spanish dancer, and her old grandfather in "Singed Wings", Penrhyn Stanlaws' new Paramount production, opening a three-day engagement at the Peoples theater tomorrow. Bonita is played by Bebe Daniels, who is featured in the picture, while Robert Brower portrays the character of Don Jose.

Bleak walls rise above a barren floor made ugly by great, gaping cracks. Dismal, ghostly shadows cast their ominous figures into wierd, meaningless shapes.

## INTRA-COASTAL CANAL SURVEY TO BE MADE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—A comprehensive survey of the entire intra-coastal canal from New Orleans or near there to Corpus Christi would be undertaken by the board of army engineers under terms of the bill by Representative Dupree of Louisiana reported by the house rivers and harbors committee. The proposal has the approval of the board of engineers.

There are numerous sections of the canal with varying depths, and some of the connecting links are yet to be constructed. It is the purpose of the engineers to complete the survey with a view of connecting portions of the project with a uniform depth of nine feet throughout its course.


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## Legislative Side Lights

BY HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD

News Staff Correspondent at The 38th Legislature

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 24.—Carbon black is an issue and a burning one at that in legislative circles. Senator Strong's bill providing for the burning of residue or dry gas from casing-head gasoline plants after the gasoline content has been extracted for the purpose of making carbon black was passed finally by the senate by a vote of 20 to 4. The Strong bill permits the manufacture of carbon black in certain localities by the burning of dry gas. Senator Burkett of the Eastland district, when the debate was on, said that in four counties of his district—Eastland, Stevens, Palo Pinto, and Young—approximately 200,000,000 cubits of dry gas from casing head plants was going to waste daily.

Panola county sent a big delegation here to push the Strong bill. Citizens of that county said they had the largest field of dry gas in the south and the only way to utilize it was to burn the residue for the manufacture of carbon black. Harrison county has a big delegation here. Citizens of Harrison do not favor the Strong bill, and there is a very interesting fight on now that the Strong bill has been sent to the house.

**Man From Marshall**

"Every conservation board in the United States has declared against the burning of natural gas into the manufacture of carbon black," said Bryan Blalock, secretary of the Marshall Chamber of Commerce, who is here opposing the carbon black bill. "Marshall and Texarkana are two thriving cities of Eastern Texas with a combined population of about 35,000 and are getting natural gas from the Panola county field. Since this gas was piped to these two cities much development of resources of East Texas has taken place. Brick plants, tile factories, glass plants, furniture factories, and sewer tile plants have been constructed that are working hundreds of men and buying raw material from farmers of East Texas. Only recently the Atlas Powder Company came into Texas and built a $1,000,000 Dareo plant in Marshall on the strength of natural gas and Texas conservation laws. These people refuse to go to Monroe, La., because of carbon black plants in the field, although they could have gotten gas at half of what they are paying in Marshall.

**Gas Consumer**

"A carbon black plant does not utilize the heat from burning gas, but burns a thousand cubic feet to get a pound of carbon black that sells for 8c. They catch the soot that comes from the blaze. A fair-sized plant will burn more gas than the entire city of Dallas with all its industries in one day. A half million dollar glass plant has options on land in Marshall at this time and we have every reason to believe that these people will not come to Texas if carbon black plants are built in the Panola fields. They cannot take chances on the gas supply with it being wasted in such enormous quantities. I believe that the matter should be left in the hands of the railroad commissioners, as at present. They are in a position to send experts into the field, investigate conditions and give a fair verdict. The plea is that the farmer will get his money quicker, but this is wrong, as shrewd sharks have leased up the land and will get the benefit."

Senator P. A. Turner of Texarkana fought the Strong bill to a finish on the senate floor and then moved to recommit the bill to committee. His amendment lost and on the final vote it was just five to one for the Strong bill. Now there is to be war to the knife between the foes and the friends of the carbon black bill in the lower house.

**Patman and Blount**

Representative Wright Patman of Cass county is sitting on the top of the world. His intangible tax bill was passed by the house. There were 73 ayes and 50 nays. This bill was sent to engrossment by a vote of 81 ayes to 39 nays. Representative Eugene Blount of Nacogdoches county offered most determined opposition to the passage of the bill. He declared that it would be destructive of the business interests of Texas and prevent the coming of factories and mills. He directed attention to the fact that the house had passed the 3 per cent gross production oil tax and the gasoline tax as well as the levying of a tax on sulphur and declared emphatically that these taxation measures would produce a revenue which answer all the demands of the state at the present time.

The gentleman from Nacogdoches was sustained in his contention by Representative J. T. Smith of Travis county who declared that he did not believe an intangible tax would be necessary to raise necessary revenue, and he challenged the gentleman from Cass county to tell what an intangible tax really is. Representative Patman reminded his critics that his bill does not levy a tax but makes the intangible assets when fixed subject to whatever tax is levied upon other property.

**Hits 'Em All**

As the bill passed the house, the intangible tax is assessed against railroads, ferry, bridge, and turnpike companies, all of which were previously subject to intangible tax: interurban and electric railway companies, terminal railways, telegraph, telephone, pipe-lines, wharf, mineral or petroleum oil refining, stock yards, gas, electric light power, and heat; water power, water works, water and light and express companies.

Provision is made that a company shall not pay both a gross receipts tax and an intangible tax on the same business, but where the same concern engages in more than one line of activity the fact that it pays a gross receipts tax upon one part will not prevent its assessment for intangible tax. Small bridge companies are exempt. Mineral and petroleum oil refineries are not exempt.

Now the bill will be sent to the senate, which reminds the writer that the senate state affairs committee has amended the house bill taxing crude oil production 3 per cent by reducing the tax to 2 per cent and further providing that receivers of oil royalties shall pay the tax on their oil income instead of its being paid by the producing company. This should be of interest to persons owning a royalty interest in any oil well or oil production in Texas.

## Historian Says Poles Will Check Reds

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Hilare Belloc, Franco-English historian and essayist, addressing an American audience the other day for the first time in many years, declared the ominous shadow of soviet Russia is only a shadow without substance and impotent to spread its doctrines throughout Europe or the world. There is no danger of a new World war, he said.

Communism, Mr. Belloc said, never has been completely operative in Russia because it can function only in urban communities and vast number of peasants are unaffected. He minimized the military dangers from Russia, declaring Poland was a barrier against the spread of the doctrines of Lenine and Trotzky and would surely defeat the Red army should it attempt an invasion westward.


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## MISS CANADA AND HER NEAREST RIVAL

The prize beauty of the Frozen North, Miss Winifred C. Blair (left), 19-year-old stenographer of St. John, N. B., is shown here with the runner up in the Canadian beauty contest. Miss Blair's nearest rival was Muriel Harper, the Winnipeg entry.

## MARINE AND SHIPPING NOTES

**ARRIVED FEB. 24**

Vessel. Agent. Flag. Tonnage.

Josiah Macy, 5,296, to Humphreys company, Port Neches.

Gulfstar, 5,316, from Philadelphia to Gulf company.

Barge Sienango, from Savannah, to Gulf company.

Narcissus, 4,380, Lakes Agency, from Port Neches to Port Arthur.

Aryan, 5,154, from Norfolk to Texas Company.

Pennsylvania, 5,048, from Tampico to Texas Company.

**SAILED FEB. 24**

Trinidadian, 1,765, from Gulf company to Baltimore.

J. M. Danziger, 4,016, from Gulf company to Tampico.

Texas, 5,045, from Texas Company to Port Lobos.

**IN PORT ARTHUR**

Gulfstar, 5,316, Gulf company.
Aryan, 5,154, Texas Company.
Shenango, barge, Gulf company.
Narcissus, 4,380, Lakes Agency.
Pennsylvania, 5,048, Texas Company.
Birkenhead, 4,297, Gulf company.
Currier, 2,869, Gulf company.
Gulfking, 4,098, Gulf company.
Marbo, 4,390, Texas Company.
Garonne, (Fr.), French admiralty, Texas Company.
Svartfond, (Nor.), 1,292, Hall steamship company.

**At Beaumont**

Jalisco, (Mex.), 1,558, Beaumont Forwarding company.
Radiant, 1,258, Magnolia company

**At Port Neches**

Josiah Macy, 5,296, Humphreys company.

**At Orange**

Sch. Marie Thompson, 673, Barber Asphalt company
Sch. Roseway, 244, Lutcher Moore company.

## FRENCH SEIZE GERMANS IN WHOLESALE ARRESTS

BERLIN, Feb 24—Wholesale arrests of Germans were made by the French in the Ruhr valley today, according to the dispatch from Bochum. In that city several hundred citizens were taken into custody and the majority were detained. Posters were put in conspicuous places announcing an "intensified" state of siege.

Advices from German sources said that when the French troops went to the city hall to arrest the town councillors, a number of these dignitaries were driven into the streets with bayonets and rifle butts. Nineteen of the councillors were arrested, including the burgomaster, because they declined to supply food to the French.

## PRAYER SAID IN COURT BESEECHING FEUD END

DALLAS, Feb. 24.—"Prayer that the families of Nash and Trigg, forgive and forget the past and let the future be filled with nothing but good feeling," was said in district court here when the jury took the case of John Trigg, charged with the murder of his wife's brother, Will Nash as the climax to a family feud. Nash, at the time of his death, was under indictment charged with killing Trigg's son.

## Man Takes Pistol After Being Wounded

HOUSTON, Feb. 24.—With two bullet wounds in his body, Jess E. Altman, picked up a rock, hurled it at his assailant and then followed the rock with a barrage of fisticuffs. When neighbors stopped the fight the pistol with which he had been shot was in his possession. R. L. Lamont, a neighbor, was charged with assault to murder and with carrying a pistol.

## MARKETS

**WALL STREET JOURNAL FINANCIAL REVIEW**

NEW YORK, Feb 24—Following a listless opening with irregular prices traders tested the market by selling two favorites, Studebaker and Baldwin, and exerting some pressure on steel common.

Evidently the talent found that this did not bring out any stock for the market turned abruptly soon after the beginning of the second hour and advanced under leadership of steel, Louisville and Nashville, Associated Dry Goods, Producers and Refiners and the Sugars. Coppers were firm on sales of the metal at 16½.

The street was certainly impressed with the showing by the local federal reserve banks' increase in reserve ratio following the advance in the re-discount rate. This bore out the opinion of leaders in the street that the advance in the rate was purely precautionary.

Sterling was fractionally lower at $4.70¾, compared with the recent high of $4.72 1-8.

The market closed irregular
Closing prices
U S Steel 107½
Texas Company 50⅞ off ⅛
Baldwin 137⅞ off 2
[illegible] 176⅞ off 1½
Producers and Refiners 51½ up ½
[illegible]
Studebaker 119⅞ off 1
General Motors 15
U S Rubber 60, off ½
Corn Products 136, off 1¼
Cuban American Sugar 35, off ½
Anaconda 51 off ½
American Woolens 103⅞ off 1¼
Iron Product 31⅞ up 1½
Atchison 105⅞ up 1½
Atlantic Coast Line 125 up 5
L and N 154⅞ up
Southern Pacific 91½ up ½
B and O 53

The stock market opened firm today with most issues showing small gains over Friday's last prices. Sugars were active but price changes were unimportant.

United States Steel opened at 107½ up ⅛

Announcement that Texas Company had increased gasoline prices to meet recent advances by Standard Oil of New Jersey was reflected in the demand for the stock which started at 51

Opening prices on the New York stock exchange today include
Texas Company 51 up ⅛
U S Steel 107½ up ⅛
Anaconda 51 off ½
Norfolk and Western 115½ up ½
Union Pacific 143⅞ off ¼
Studebaker 120½ up ½
Penna 46
B and O 52⅞ off ⅛
Pan-American B 71½ off ½
Retail Stores 77 up ½
Sinclair 37 up ⅛
American Can 98⅞ off ½
Crucible 79½ off ⅛
Corn Products 137½ up ⅛
Northern Pacific 80 up ⅛

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE**

NEW YORK Feb 24—Foreign Exchange opened easier. Demand Sterling $4.70¾, francs 0.0613 lire .0481½ marks 22,500 to the dollar, Danish 1944

**NEW ORLEANS COTTON**

NEW ORLEANS, Feb 24—Cotton closed steady. Spots 29.75 unchanged

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 29.42 | 29.42 | 29.30 | [illegible] |
| May | 29.21 | 29.22 | 29.12 | 29.12 |
| Jul. | 28.80 | 28.81 | 28.77 | 28.78 |
| Oct. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 25.38 | 25.41 |

**NEW YORK COTTON**

NEW YORK, Feb 24—The market closed steady
Spots 29.95, off 5

| | Open. | High | Low. | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 29.75 | 29.75 | 29.50 | 29.61 |
| May | 29.72 | 29.75 | 29.55 | 29.57 |
| July | 29.00 | 29.00 | 28.81 | 28.82 |
| Oct. | 25.98 | 25.98 | 25.82 | 25.85 |

## Barber-Banker Lands in Tangle Following Plunge at Financing

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Investigation of the affairs of Joseph Marcino, barber-banker, who is alleged to have wrecked financial institutions in many parts of the country, shifted to Italy today.

Authorities attempted to discover where the 26-year-old Italian obtained capital of $100,000 to launch his first banking venture.

Israel Berkman, Chicago attorney, informed agents in charge of the investigation that Marcino returned from Italy in 1921, with at least $100,000.

## WALLACE TO OPPOSE ARMOUR MERGER PLAN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, in the near future expects to issue a public statement announcing his opposition to the Armour-Morris packer merger, it was learned authoritatively here today.

In this statement, Wallace may state that if the packing interests continue their plans for the merger, he will issue a complaint against them under the packer control law.

## ANGORA NOT HOSTILE TO FOREIGN CAPITAL

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 24.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha, opening the first Turkish economic congress at Smyrna, declared the rupture of the Lausanne conference he considered only "provisional adjournment."

The Turkish government, however, could not consent, he said, as in the past to act simply as a policeman for foreign capital. Turkey has determined to rid herself of economic servitude, he asserted, adding:

"After months of negotiation, the allies still show incapacity to recognize our just claims. They do not yet realize the former Ottoman empire has passed into history and is replaced by a new, creative Turkish state."

Kemal said the Angora government is not hostile to foreign capital, as Turkey needs such capital for her development. All guarantees will be given foreigners, he insisted, provided they submit to Turkish law.


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The broad spaces of the historic avenue are to be roped off and a section allotted to each state in the order of admittance into the Union, beginning with the original 13 states at the capital end of the thoroughfare.

Each state section will be provided with a band and the 48 will blare in unison and the dancers move in step as the result of an electric signal which will flare up all along the line to guide the band leaders. More than 1,800 dancers are expected to take part.

### Fraternal

WILL ONE of the members of the Ku Klux Klan please call at 499 Lake Shore and ask for Mrs. Hill.

REGULAR MEETING F. O. E. No. 228, Wednesday, Feb. 28. All members are urged to be present. Refreshments. A. J. Bergeron, Sec.

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THE STOVE HOSPITAL
Repairing Florence Automatic Oil cook stoves at a special price this week. 615 Fifth, phone 2107.

FOR SALE—Girl's bicycle, $10, one 12-gauge Stephen pump gun, $25. Both in good condition. 921 Marshall.

DIRT and fertilizer for sale. Phone 1924. 730 Austin.

FOR SALE—Four empty barrels. G. Mamalakis Candy Factory, 913 Nashville.

FOR SALE—Bed mattress, springs. Machinist tools and tool box. Phone 1085.

FOR SALE—Household goods. 2639 Twelfth.

FOR SALE—Furniture for three rooms. Party buying furniture can rent 4-room house. Apply 225 San Antonio.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, practically new Goggan special piano. Apply 519 Mobile.

FOR SALE—3-burner oil cook stove, practically new; has been used a few weeks. 224 Fourth.

FOR SALE or trade, small store and fixtures. 1330 Houston.

FOR SALE—4-burner Clark Jewel gas stove, $15. Apply 1820 Seventh.

WOOD—All kinds. Phone 111. Badgett.

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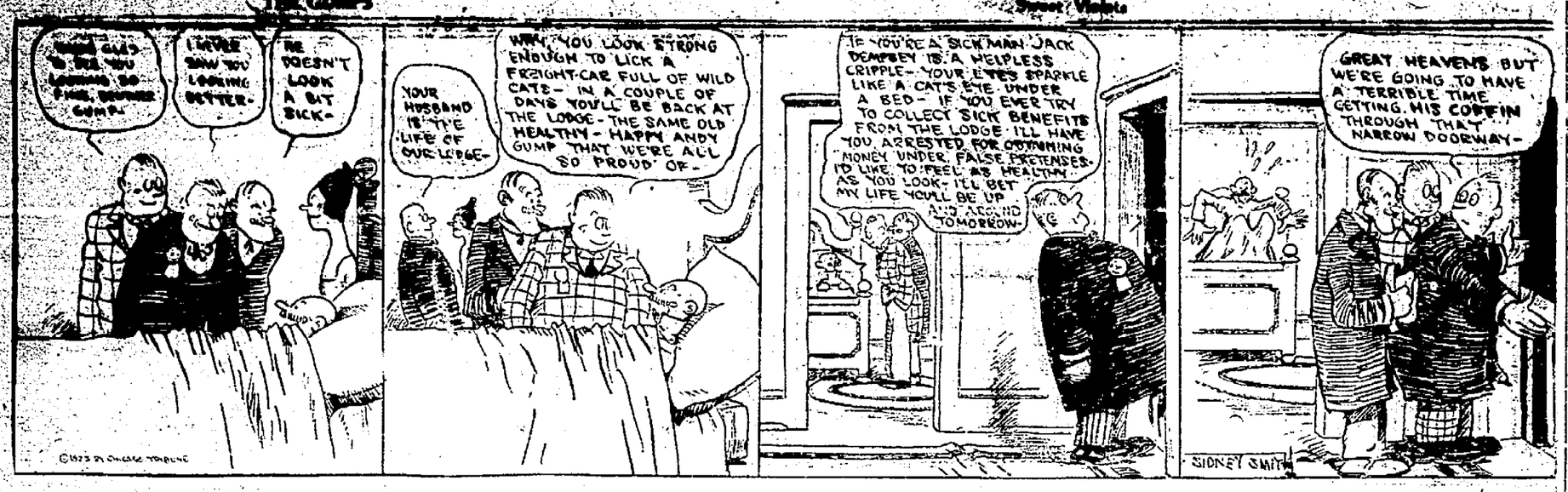


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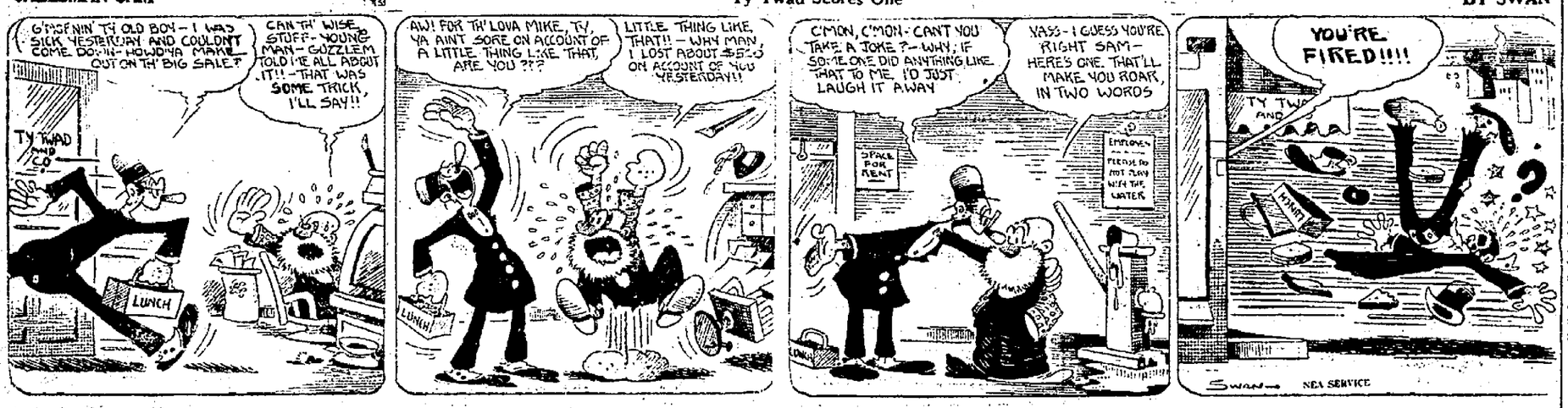


THE OLD HOME TOWN — BY STANLEY

OUR BOARDING HOUSE— BY AHERN

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
# MIX-UP LAND
By Olive Roberts Burton

"Why don't you take them off?" suggested Nancy.

The Magical Mushroom left Mix-Up Land and went back to the Fairy Queen's Palace, while the Twins continued their journey through the queer place.

So many things were upside down that it was enough to make one dizzy. The creeks flowed uphill, and even the hills were sometimes only holes in the ground. Fences stuck up in the air instead of staying properly on their sides as sensible fences do. The trees grew with their branches turned in and the apples and plums and pears in the orchard were square.

Ducks scratched for worms while chickens and turkeys swam on the ponds, horses were squealing and drinking buttermilk out of troughs in the pigsties whilst the hogs were eating hay and pulling the plows in the fields.

Dogs mewed and cats barked; birds ran around and rabbits flew; pictures were hung outside the houses, while vines grew in the parlors; whales nibbled the grass by the roadside and the cows swam far out to sea; smoke went down and rain fell up. Goodness alive, I get dizzy just talking about it, so you may know how the Twins felt.

Bye and bye they came to an old man hobbling along the road in a pair of tight shoes, and groaning loudly.

"What's wrong?" asked Nick kindly. "Can we help you?"

"Oh, yes you can, but you can't", answered the old man. "It's my shoes. They pinch!"

"Why don't you take them off?" suggested Nancy.

"If I did I would never get there," said the old man. "I can only walk in shoes that hurt, and I haven't a cent in the world. I am poor. I have to go and get my thousand dollars out of the bank so I can buy me a loose pair of shoes. Then I can't walk so I can't spend it."

"Oh, my!" cried Nancy. "I can't understand you at all."

"That's all right," said the old man. "Don't worry. You're a little queer in your head—that's all. After you live in Mix-Up Land awhile and become a Mix-Upper, you'll understand anything."

Away he hobbled, still groaning.

(To be continued)

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## Mary Returns to Her Art and Irish Fund is Suddenly Checked

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Pretty Mary Doyle has quit her studies of art in Paris. She no longer makes her week-end trips to her home in Ireland and funds no longer reach Irish republicans from France.

The money used to come with Mary, known to British and Free State secret service men as Mary Comerford, most daring and resourceful of republican women agents. In Paris she posed as an art student and twice a month went to Dublin, carrying the republican sinews of war in the lining of her coat and two cleverly arranged false pockets in her suitcase.

Free State officials had been constantly seeking Mary, but she easily eluded them in Ireland by frequent disguises. One day the French customs officials at Calais suspected Mary was taking more money out of France than French law permits. She became confused when questioned and finally showed a number of bank notes. The officials looked further and found documents relating to "Miss Mary Comerford." They released her, but notified the British authorities.

So Mary makes no more trips between Dublin and Paris. It has developed the money she brought to Ireland came from the United States and was deposited in the name of Edmond Massey at an American bank in Paris. This account was hurriedly closed and Massey returned to New York by the first boat, leaving the irregulars in Ireland hard pressed for cash, it is said.

## OLD PAINTING FOUND

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Landseer's painting, a Stag at Bay, the steel engraving of which has hung in nearly every old homestead in America, has been found after having been lost 20 years. It has been the property of a woman at Goole. One time its value was estimated as high as $30,000, but Landseer's vogue is not what it was and dealers now set its value at about $3,000.

## Digging for Tut Now on at Capital

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The exploration of the tomb of Tutenkhamun has sent Washington on an archaeological spree and musty files are being examined for documents bearing on the early history of the government.

Atty. Gen. Daugherty's find of the opinions of Edmund Randolph, the first attorney general, and letters of many of the presidents, including what is supposed to be Abraham Lincoln's last official writing, was followed by the unearthing in the treasury vaults of original correspondence between President Andrew Jackson and William J. Duane, his secretary of the treasury, who declined to obey his instructions to withdraw federal deposits from the national bank.

Secretary Mellon transmitted the letters to the library of congress considering that they might possibly throw some additional light on the fight against the national bank waged by Mr. Jackson. He said the treasury may have many other interesting documents and employes are accordingly digging in the bottom of the vaults to get them.

## RUSSIA DECLARES WAR ON SALE OF BOOZE

MOSCOW, Feb. 24.—The Russian government has declared war on bootleggers and manufacturers of illicit hooch and the campaign is duplicating, in many scenes, the situation in New York and other American cities.

The sale of wines and beers is legal in Russia but the soviet regime has continued the war policy, established early in 1915, of banning vodka and other strong intoxicants. These are now being made in huge quantities, illicitly, and nearly every one of Moscow's newly rich has his private source of supply.

## BIG CATTLE SHIPMENT

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Feb. 24.—Four cars of cattle and hogs were shipped from Georgetown for the Fort Worth markets on the co-operative plan, one car being made up of contributions from farmers at Liberty Hill, Florence and Round Rock.

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